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Speaker Greg J. Curtis, Chair President John L. Valentine, Vice Chair Legislative Management Committee State Capitol Complex Salt Lake City, Utah 84114

Dear Chairmen and Committee Members:

The Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Interim Committee would like to study the following issues during the 2008 interim:

- 1. **Oversight Issues** to study procedures and issues relating to operations within the Department of Corrections, Department of Public Safety, the Board of Pardons and Parole, and the Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice.
- 2. **Sex Offender Registry** to study classifications of sex offenses and other laws for consistency and compliance with the federal Adam Walsh Act and appropriate offenses for registry inclusion or exclusion with the input of agencies that place individuals on the registry.
- 3. **Controlled Substances** to study issues relating to substance abuse penalties, prevention, and services.
- 4. Criminal Code Review to study areas of the criminal code that may need to be repealed or revised.
- 5. **Law Enforcement** to study issues relating to public safety enforcement and police protection services.
- 6. **Emergency Communication Systems** to study Utah's emergency radio communications systems to determine ways to meet the Federal Communications Commission's (FCC) bandwidth requirements which take effect in 2013.

Sincerely,

Jon Greiner, Senate Chair Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Interim Committee DeMar "Bud" Bowman, House Chair Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Interim Committee

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